Numb. 12973.

The London Gazette.

Published by Authority.

From Saturday March 15, to Tuesday March 18, 1788.

Vienna, March 5.

LETTERS from Gratz, in Styria, adviſe that the Emperor arrived there in the Forenoon of Saturday laſt, and that, after having taken a View of the new public Works carrying on there, his Imperial Majeſty ſet out for Laubach on Sunday Morning.

Prince Charles Lichtenſtein, General of Cavalry, and Governor of this City, ſet out Yeſterday for the Army in Hungary. The Command of the Troops in Lower Auſtria devolves on Lieutenant-General Terzy.

Hague, March 10.

The Anniverſary of the Birth of His Serene Highneſs the Prince of Orange, Hereditary Stadtholder, &c. was celebrated on Saturday laſt, in this Reſidence, with great Rejoicings and Magnificence, on which Occaſion his Serene Highneſs received the Congratulations of the Foreign Miniſters and other Perſons of Diſtinction at his Palace. In the Evening there was a Drawing-Room at the Palace called the Old Court, where that Prince, together with her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs of Orange, received the Compliments of a very numerous and brilliant Aſſembly. The Illuminations and other Demonſtrations of Joy in Honour of the Day were general throughout the Town.

Hague, March 14.

His Excellency Sir James Harris, Envoy Extraordinary and Miniſter Plenipotentiary from His Britannick Majeſty to their High Mightineſſes, having notified his Appointment to be His Majeſty's Ambaſſador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, had a Conference Yeſterday with the Preſident of the Aſſembly of their High Mightineſſes, to whom he preſented his new Credentials.

And this Day his Excellency paid a Viſit of Ceremony, as Ambaſſador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from the King of Great Britain, to the Prince of Orange. His Serene Highneſs has fixed on To-morrow, to return his Excellency's Viſit in the uſual Form.

Navy-Office, March 6, 1788.

THE Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, That on Wedneſday the 2d of April next, they will be ready to treat with ſuch Perſons as are willing to ſupply His Majeſty's ſeveral Yards with Copper Bolts, Copper Sheathing Nails, and Copper Forged Nails, on a ſtanding Contract: That for the Bolts to commence in Three Months from the Time of making it, and the other for the Nails from the 27th of Auguſt next; alſo for Copper Sheets for all the Yards; the Contract to commence the 6th of September next; the Nails to be delivered agreeable to a Pattern to be ſeen in the Lobby here, where Forms of the Tenders may alſo be ſeen.

No Tender will be received after Twelve o'Clock, and the Treaty will be proceeded upon immediately after the Arrangement of the Tenders is made. The Party, or ſome Perſon for him, muſt attend.

Navy-Office, March 8, 1788.

THE Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, That on Thurſday the 3d of April next, they will be ready to treat with ſuch Perſons as may be willing to ſupply His Majeſty's Yards at Deptford and Woolwich with Iron Boltſtaves from one Half to ſeven Eighths of an Inch Diameter, on a ſtanding Contract to commence immediately.

No Tender will be received after Twelve of the Clock, and the Treaty will be proceeded upon immediately after the Arrangement of the Tenders is made. The Party muſt attend, or ſome Perſon for him. The Form of the Tender may be ſeen in the Lobby here.

Navy-Office, February 15, 1788.

THE Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, That on the following Days, at One o'Clock, they will be ready to contract for the undermentioned Stores, viz.

Iron; Swediſh, Spaniſh, Siberia, of the Sort called Old Sable, Tar, Eaſt Country, Monday the 17th of March.

Hemp; Riga and Peterſburgh, Wedneſday the 19th.

Norway Goods, Dantzick Goods, Monday the 24th.

Riga Fir Timber, Pitch, Britiſh or Eaſt Country Rozin, Wedneſday the 26th.

Canvas, Monday the 31ſt.

No Letter will be received as a Tender, unleſs the Writer, or an Agent for him, attends; nor will any be received after Twelve o'Clock.

Samples muſt be produced of the Pitch and [illegible]. The Forms of the Tenders may be ſeen in the [illegible] here.

General Poſt-Office, March 14, [illegible]

IN Compliance with the unanimous Requeſt of a Meeting of Weſt India Merchants in the City of London, the following Alterations will be made in the [illegible] Plan

Plan which has been recently adopted for dispatching the Packets to the West Indies, and will be carried into Effect till further Notice.

A Mail will be made up at this Office on the first Wednesday of every Month for Jamaica, and also for the Leeward Islands, with which a Packet will be dispatched immediately from Falmouth to touch at Barbadoes on her Outward Bound Passage, and leave there the Letters for all the Leeward Islands, and then proceed directly to Jamaica, from whence she is to return, after staying Fourteen Days, and no more, by the Windward Passage to England.

Another Mail will be made up for the Leeward Islands on the Third Wednesday in every Month, with which a Packet will proceed, first to Barbadoes, and from thence to St. Vincent's, Grenada, Dominica, Antigua, Montserrat, Nevis, St. Kitt's and Tortola, and, after having staid no longer than Forty-eight Hours at Barbadoes, St. Vincent's, Grenada, Dominica, Antigua and St. Kitt's, and Twenty-four Hours at each of the other Islands, she is to return directly to England with the Letters she may have collected for Great Britain and Ireland.

All Letters for the Leeward Islands, which may be sent by the Jamaica Packet on the first Wednesday in every Month, will be conveyed from Barbadoes, either by the Government Vessels of the respective Islands, or by a Brig to be specially employed for that Purpose, in order that the Answers may be prepared against the Arrival of the Leeward Island Packet from hence of the Third Wednesday in every Month.

By Command of the Postmaster-General,

Anth. Todd, *Sec.*

East-India House, February 20, 1788.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England, trading to the East Indies, do hereby give Notice,

That the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be shut on Thursday the 6th of March next, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Thursday the 10th of April following.

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-street on Wednesday the 19th of March next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, and to consider of confirming the Suspension of the 11th and 23d Bye-Laws, on the Applications made by Captain Alexander Gray, of the Duke of Montrose; Captain Edmund Ellison, of the Ranger; Captain James Tod, of the Rochford; Mrs. Maria Harvey, Administratrix to the late Thomas Welsh, who came Passenger in the Swallow; and Mr. Richard Dalton, Surgeon of the Phœnix, to empower the Court to put up to Sale sundry Articles brought from India and China, but omitted to be manifested; also to consider of confirming the Suspension of the 51st Bye-Law, on the Application made by Messs. Tatnall and Cotton, to deliver to them a Box of Seed Pearl, on their paying the Company's Duties thereon; and also to consider of suspending the 11th and 23d Bye-Laws in Favour of Mr. Robert Dean, Mr. John Mitford, of Madras, Captain John Buchanan, Commander, and Mr. Thomas Spalding, Surgeon of the Ranger Packet, John Stables, Esq; and Mr. Robert Cuthbert, Third Mate of the Berrington, to empower the Court to put up to Sale sundry unregistered Goods.

And that the Lists of the Members of the said Company will be ready to be delivered at this House on Wednesday the 26th of said March.

North York Militia.

NOtice is hereby given, That a General Meeting of the Lieutenancy of the North Riding of the County of York will be held at Mr. Hirst's Inn, at Northallerton, on Tuesday the 8th Day of April next, at Eleven o'Clock, for appointing Times and Places for training and exercising the said Militia.

By Order of the Lord Lieutenant,

March 17, 1788. William Wailes,

Clerk of the General Meetings.

Hampshire Militia.

I Give Notie, That the North Hants Battalion of Militia is to assemble in the City of Winchester, on Monday the 5th Day of May next, there to be embodied, trained and exercised for Twenty-eight Days from that Time; and that the South Hants Battalion of Militia is to assemble in the Town and County of the Town of Southampton, on the said 5th Day of May, there to be embodied, trained and exercised for Twenty-eight Days from that Day.

Hackwood, BOLTON.

March 12, 1788.

Queen Anne's Bounty.

TO the Clergy. Notice is hereby given, that the Interest due at Lady-Day next will be paid by William Stevens, Esq; Treasurer, at No. 68. Old Broad-street, every Day from Lady-Day to Midsummer next, between the Hours of Ten and Two, Sundays and Holidays excepted.

N. B. The Clergy are desired to observe, that the Receipts must be written on Stamps; and, as the Governors allow the Duty, it may be added to the Interest, and expressed in the Receipt.

Surry-street, March 15, 1788.

A General Meeting of the Laudable Society for the Benefit of Widows, will be held at their Office, No. 1, Surry-street, Strand, on Tuesday the 8th of April next, at Twelve o'Clock in the Forenoon, for the Choice of Twenty-four Directors for the Year ensuing; and other Affairs relative to the said Society.

By Order of the Directors,

William Cutlove, *Secretary.*

The Chairman will take the Chair at One o'Clock, when the Ballot will be opened, and finally closed at Three o'Clock precisely.

N. B. Such Members as are desirous of dining with their Brethren on that Day, may be supplied with Tickets at the Horn Tavern, Doctors Commons, and at their Office, Surry-street, Strand.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Richard Panton, late of Barbican, London, Distiller, deceased, are required forthwith to pay their respective Debts to Messs. Sales, Atkins and Clark, Executors of the Will of the said Richard Panton, at their Counting-house No. 68, Aldersgate-street, London, or they will be proceeded against for Recovery thereof, without further Notice; and all Persons having any Claim or Demand on the said Estate are desired to send an Account thereof as above, or to Messs. Young and Mitton, Doctors Commons, Solicitors for the said Executors.

THE Partnership subsisting between Robert Jones and Joseph Walley, jun. of Liverpool, Goldsmiths, Jewellers, &c. &c. being this Day dissolved by mutual Consent, (one of the Partners going into a different Line;), The Business in future will be carried on by Robert Jones only, who settles all the Partnership Concerns: Witness our Hands this 28th Day of February, 1788,

Robert Jones.
Joseph Walley, jun.

London, the 5th of 3d Month (March) 1788.

NOtice is hereby given, That the Partnerſhip lately ſubſiſting between John Witchell and Edward Whitford, Grocers and Tea-dealers, No. 51, Fore-ſtreet, near Moorfields, is this Day diſſolved by mutual Conſent; and it is agreed that all Debts owing to and by the ſaid Partnerſhip ſhall be ſettled by Edward Whitford, on the Premiſes.

John Witchell
Edw. Whitford.

NOtice, purſuant to an Act of Parliament paſſed in Ireland, in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Years of the Reign of His preſent Majeſty King George the Third, intituled, "An Act for the Relief of Tenants holding under Leaſes for "Lives, containing Covenants for perpetual Renewals;" I William Thomas Monſell, of Tervoe, in the County of Limerick, Eſq; the Landlord of the Lands hereinafter mentioned, do hereby give Notice to the ſeveral Tenants, and other Perſons intereſted in the Lands of Baldonan, including the Meadow commonly called the Flock Meadow, in the County of Dublin, that William Acton, only Son of Thomas Acton, of the City of Dublin, Eſq; one of the Ceſtuique Vies, or Lives named in the laſt Leaſe, or Renewal of the ſaid Lands, having died in the Month of October, 1779; ſince whoſe Death no new Life has been named, or Renewal Fine paid, tho' ſeveral Applications have been made by me for that Purpoſe, that unleſs a new Life be named within Three Calendar Months from the Date hereof, and ſuch Renewal Fine or Fines, with ſuch Intereſt thereon as I am intitled to, be, within the Time aforeſaid, paid to me, or to my Agent Mr. Pryce Peacock, in Grafton-ſtreet, Dublin, who is duly authorized to receive the ſame, and execute a proper Deed of Renewal of ſaid Premiſes on my Behalf, I will not execute any further Renewal of ſaid Premiſes, but will from thenceforth deem the ſame as held only for the Lives or Life of the Ceſtuique Vies, or Ceſtuique Vie now in being, and no longer. Dated this 3d Day of January, 1788,

WILLIAM THOMAS MONSELL.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cauſe Pearce againſt Hill, the Creditors and Legatees of Edward Shepherd, formerly of the Pariſh of St. George Hanover-ſquare in the County of Middleſex, Eſq; deceaſed, are to come in and prove their ſeveral Debts and claim their reſpective Legacies, before Edward Leeds, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-inn, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, dated the 11th of February, 1778, made in a Cauſe Lloyd and others againſt Lloyd and others, the Creditors of Francis Lloyd, late of Monackty in the County of Angleſea, Eſq; deceaſed, remaining unſatisfied, are, on or before the 10th Day of May next, to come in and prove their reſpective Debts before Peter Holford, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, or in Default thereof they will peremptorily be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors (if any) of Sir George Nares, Knt. deceaſed, late one of the Juſtices of His Majeſty's Court of Common Pleas, are peremptorily to come in and prove their Debts before John Ord, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-inn, on or before the 30th Day of April next, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, bearing Date the 19th Day of July, 1786, made in a Cauſe Marwood againſt Foulis, the Creditors of Evereld Huſtler, late of Acklam Hall, in the North Riding of the County of York, Spinſter, deceaſed, are to come in and prove their Debts before Edward Montagu, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, on or before the 19th Day of April next, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of George Strange Nares, Eſq; Son of Sir George Nares, Knt. deceaſed, late one of the Juſtices of His Majeſty's Court of Common Pleas, are peremptorily to come in and prove their Debts before John Ord, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-inn, on or before the 30th Day of April next, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

TO be ſold in Five Lots, puſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Graves, Eſq; one of the Maſters of ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, The ſeveral Eſtates of Joſeph Mowbray, Gentleman, deceaſed, conſiſting of a Freehold Public-houſe called the Cheſhire Cheeſe and Croſs Keys, ſituate in St. Olave Hart-ſtreet, Crutched-friars, London, in the Occupation of Mr. Moſs, at 47l. per Annum. A Freehold Meſſuage at Biſhop's Auckland, in the County of Durham; and one Freehold and twelve Leaſehold Meſſuages, ſituate in Greenwich, in the County of Kent. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers, of Mr. Munn, Attorney, in Greenwich, or of Mr. Gibbert Jones, Attorney, Saliſbury-ſquare, Fleet-ſtreet, London.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Wilſon, of Cockſpur-ſtreet, in the County of Middleſex, Hoſier, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on the 20th of March inſtant, at Six in the Afternoon, at the King's Head, in the Poultry, to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and alſo to the compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Robertſon, of Gould-ſquare, Crutched-friars, London, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on the 20th of March inſtant, at Seven of the Clock in the Evening preciſely, at the Langbourn Ward Coffee-houſe, Fenchurch-ſtreet, London, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity, concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and alſo to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Piercy, late of the Pariſh of St. Mary, Whitechapel, in the County of Middleſex, Innholder, Hay Saleſman, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on the 20th of March inſtant, at Six in the Evening, at the Crown and Magpye Tavern, in Aldgate High-ſtreet London, to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity touching the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt; and alſo to the compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Bontein, of Little Tower hill in the City of London, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 1ſt, 2d, and 29th of April next, at Ten in the Forenoon, on each Day, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Redit, Serle-ſtreet, Lincoln's-inn-fields.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Henry Chapman, of the City of Briſtol, Shopkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 22d Day of March inſtant, and on the 8th and 29th Days of April next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Fairbank, Ely-place, Holborn.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Stone, of Ratcliffe Highway, in the County of Middleſex, Tea-dealer, and he being declared a Bankrupt